

Additional Guidance for Congressional Directed Spending by Subcommittee

Eligible Accounts	Additional Requirements
Agriculture, Rural Development, Food & Drug Administration, & Related Agencies	
Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) (S&E)	The S&E account is open for CDS, but most compatible are: Field Crop & Rangeland Ecosystems Pests; Pest Detection; Plant Protection Methods Development; Specialty Crop Pests; Tree & Wood Pests; Wildlife Damage Management; Veterinary Diagnostics; Equine, Cervid and Small Ruminant Health
Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS), Conservation Operations	
Watershed and Flood Prevention Operations (WFPO)	20% or more of total benefits of project must directly relate to agriculture, including rural communities. Must certify that a program sponsor has contacted their NRCS state office and the proposal meets all program requirements, including financial requirements.
Rural Development, Community Facilities grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Will fund up to 75% of total project costs <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Max 75% if: population of 5,000 or fewer and median household income is below the higher of the poverty line or 60 percent of the state nonmetropolitan median household income. ○ Max 55% if: population of 12,000 or fewer and median household income is below the higher of the poverty line or 70 percent of the state nonmetropolitan median household income. ○ Max 35% if: population of 20,000 or fewer and median household income is below the higher of the poverty line or 80 percent of the state nonmetropolitan median household income. ○ Max 15% if: population of 2,000 or fewer and median household income is below the higher of the poverty line or 90 percent of the state nonmetropolitan median household income. • Maximum grant assistance cannot exceed the lower of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Qualifying % of eligible project cost determined above ○ Either 50% of the annual State allocation or \$50,000, whichever is greater. • Must meet environmental review requirements (i.e., NEPA) • There are several set-asides within CF grant program, but CDS requests will only be eligible for the general CF Grant Program
Rural Development, Distance Learning, Telemedicine, & Broadband Program (DLT) grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flat 15% match (matching funds cannot come from another federal source) • For-profit entities are not eligible for CDS requests, despite being eligible for the program.
Commerce, Justice, Science, & Related Agencies	
• CDS projects should be viewed as a way to jump start an activity – not sustain it over time.	
Department of Commerce; National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST); Scientific and Technical Research Services (STRS); External Projects	Projects should address standards-related research and technology development. Construction projects will not be accepted.
Department of Commerce; NIST; Construction of Research Facilities	The Subcommittee will accept CDS for NIST Construction projects for non-Federal research facilities at research institutions and colleges and universities. However, given the significant investments necessary for construction projects, only a very limited number of projects will be able to be supported on an annual basis.
Department of Commerce; National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); Operations, Research, and Facilities (ORF); Special Projects	Projects should address fisheries, marine mammals, ocean, climate, weather, and atmospheric research and programs. Construction projects will not be accepted.
Department of Justice; Office on Justice Programs; State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance; Byrne Discretionary	To provide additional personnel, equipment, supplies, contractual support, training, technical assistance, and information systems for criminal justice systems. This funding cannot be used for land acquisition or construction.
Department of Justice; Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS);	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Subcommittee will accept requests for CDS for COPS Law Enforcement Technology projects for the development of technologies and automated systems to assist law enforcement agencies in investigating, responding to, and preventing crime. Recipients include State, local, Tribal, and territorial governments and their public agencies.

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COPS Law Enforcements Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Allowable activities are limited to the statutorily allowable purpose areas under the COPS Office statute, including the procurement of equipment, technology, or support systems, and the development of new technologies to assist recipient entities in reorienting the emphasis of their activities from reacting to crime to preventing crime.• Applicants should refrain from specifying brand names for equipment to ensure fair and open competition, and are cautioned against requests for vehicles and vessels that carry with them a high maintenance cost at the conclusion of the grant. Agencies should consider the full range of potential legal, constitutional, and civil liberties and privacy implications associated with generating, acquiring, or using technology or data.
National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Safety, Security and Mission Support	Projects should focus on science education, research, and technology development related to NASA’s mission. Medical research projects, Space Grant projects (which require a funding match), and projects at NASA-owned Visitor Centers are discouraged. This account does not fund construction but could be used for equipment, research funding, or education programs.
Energy & Water Development	
Corps of Engineers: Investigations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Few, if any, programs/projects that did not receive funding in prior years will be funded.• Only authorized projects and programs will be considered for funding, and few requests will be funding in total.• For location specific requests, if the applicants request is not included in the President’s FY22 budget request or the FY21 enacted bill or report, or if it exceeds the level included in either document (whichever is higher), it is a CDS request. Further, the FY21 bill and report does not include the Corps and Reclamation spend plans.
Corps of Engineers: Construction	
Corps of Engineers: Operation & Maintenance	
Corps of Engineers: Mississippi Rivers & Tributaries	
Bureau of Reclamation: Water an Related Resources	
Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)	
Office of Electricity (OE)	
Office of Cybersecurity, Energy Security, and Emergency Response (CESER)	
Office of Nuclear Energy (NE)	
Office of Fossil Energy (FE)	
Financial Services & General Government	
Small Business Administration, Administrative Provision	
National Archives and Records Administration, National Historical Publications and Records Commission	
National Archives and Records Administration, Repair and Restoration	
General Services Administration, Federal Buildings Fund, Construction and Acquisition	
Homeland Security	
Federal Emergency Management Agency Pre-Disaster Mitigation Projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Projects must meet eligibility of Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) grant program, including the cost-share requirement, benefit cost ratio, and environmental and historic preservation requirements.• For any projects designated for funding in the final fiscal year 2022 Homeland Security Appropriations Act, the state agency responsible for administering mitigation grants in the requestor’s state must submit an application to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and that entity will serve as the administrative agent for the grant. Therefore, all project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate state agency affirming that it believes the project is eligible

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Federal Emergency Management Agency Emergency Operations Center Grant Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Projects must meet eligibility of the Emergency Operations Center grant program, including the cost-share requirement and environmental and historic preservation requirement. • For any projects designated for funding in the final fiscal year 2022 Homeland Security Appropriations Act, the state administrative agency (SAA) must submit an application to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, and that agency will serve as the administrative agent for the grant. Therefore, all project proposals must be accompanied by a letter of support from the appropriate SAA affirming that it believes the project is eligible.
Interior, Environment, & Related Agencies	
WWI: EPA, State and Tribal Assistance Grants, Water and Wastewater Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The subcommittee will be limiting water infrastructure grants only to projects that are publicly-owned or owned by a non-profit entity. Privately-owned projects are NOT eligible for water infrastructure grants. • The subcommittee will accept CDS requests for local and/or municipal projects included on a state's most recently finalized Clean Water or Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Intended Use Plan (IUP). In exceptional circumstances, the committee may consider projects that are eligible for funding under State Revolving Loan Fund (SRF) guidelines (detailed below), but are not on the state IUP list. • There is a minimum 20% cost share requirement for any state or local water infrastructure grant funded through congressionally directed spending. Only the non-federal portion of assistance provided by a State Revolving Loan Fund can be applied towards a project's matching requirements. • There are numerous questions to answer for "Justification" and confirmation must be made for meeting the Drinking or Clean Water Projects status above. Please refer to Pages 5 and 6 of the Member Guidance document. • For tribal projects, the subcommittee will accept CDS requests for projects included on the Indian Health Services' (IHS) Sanitation Deficiency System (SDS) list. In exceptional circumstances, the committee may consider projects that are eligible for funding under the Criteria for the Sanitation Facilities Construction Program but are not on the SDS list.
HPF: NPS, Historic Preservation Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each successful CDS recipient must complete an application through grants.gov. • The subcommittee will accept CDS requests for non-formula funded activities within HPF that meet the qualifications of HPF programs, including eligible entities and activities. Please note that acquisitions of collections or historic properties are not eligible under the HPF. • The subcommittee will only accept requests for properties or collections that are otherwise eligible for HPF grants.
SPF: USFS, State and Private Forestry, Forest Resource Information and Analysis	
Projects on Agency Lists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LWCF: Great American Outdoors Act, Land and Water Conservation Fund <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BLM, Land Acquisition ○ FWS, Land Acquisition ○ NPS, Land Acquisition ○ USFS, Land Acquisition ○ USFS, Forest Legacy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ While third party organizations may advocate for specific projects, note that the Grantee for federal acquisition is the federal agency that will eventually manage the land (either BLM, FWS, NPS, or USFS), or in the case of the Forest Legacy Program, it is the state. • LRF: Great American Outdoors Act, Legacy Restoration Fund <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BLM, Legacy Restoration Fund ○ FWS, Legacy Restoration Fund ○ NPS, Legacy Restoration Fund ○ BIE, Legacy Restoration Fund ○ USFS, Legacy Restoration Fund ○ Grantee is the federal agency • LMCON: Land Management Agencies, Construction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Grantee is the federal agency. • BLM, Construction • FWS, Construction Projects, Line Item Construction • NPS, Construction, Line Item Construction and Maintenance • USFS, Capital Improvement and Maintenance, Facilities, Road and Trails
Land Management Agencies, Local Projects and Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BLM, Management of Land and Resources, Habitat Management Priorities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Project requests may be considered for activities related to wildlife and aquatic habitat management.

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BIA, Operation of Indian Programs, Special Initiatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requests may be considered that honor the commitment to invest in tribal communities, create economic opportunities, foster cultural heritage, promote efficient and effective tribal governance, and conserve natural resources.
EPA, Science and Technology, Research: National Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Project requests may be considered for high priority lines of research related to environmental quality and human health.
EPA, State and Tribal Assistance Grants, STAG Infrastructure Grants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requests will only be considered for projects related to existing funding categories and activities within the STAG account that will result in improvements in environmental quality and/or human health.
Labor, Health & Human Services, Education, & Related Agencies	
Department of Labor – Employment and Training Administration – Training and Employment Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) demonstrations authority, within Training and Employment Services, is the only Department of Labor program that supports CDS. • These projects must meet all WIOA requirements, except that they are exempt from the requirement to compete. In addition, all projects must: 1) Include direct services to individuals to enhance employment opportunities; 2) Demonstrate evidence of a linkage with the State or local workforce investment system; and 3) Include an evaluation component. • Equipment purchases may be included within congressionally directed funding only as an incidental part of the entire project. A similar standard applies to curriculum development, which should be incidental to the project's emphasis on direct services to individuals. • CDS cannot be used for construction or renovation of facilities.
Department of Health and Human Services – Health Resources and Services Administration – Program Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Facilities Construction and Equipment. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ CDS for the cost of construction, renovation, or capital equipment purchase for facilities for health, mental health, or substance abuse services, training of health professionals, or medical research. ○ In addition to construction and renovation, funding can be used to acquire capital equipment, such as lab equipment or x-ray machines. Equipment-only grants—that is, grants not involving construction—are permissible. Generally, any equipment having a useful life of more than one year and a unit cost of at least \$5,000 will be eligible as capital equipment. ○ In addition, equipment with lower costs may also be eligible, provided that it is treated as an item of capital expense under the recipient institution's pre-existing, written accounting policies. Equipment expenses for health information systems and electronic medical records systems are permitted expenditures. The costs of expendable supplies such as pharmaceuticals, lab chemicals, or office paper are not eligible. ○ HRSA Health Facilities funding cannot be used to acquire land or purchase existing buildings, or to pay salaries or other operating costs. Funding cannot be used to pay for work previously completed. CDS can be used for architectural and engineering costs associated with an eligible construction project, but cannot be used for general feasibility studies.
Department of Health and Human Services – Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration – Health Surveillance and Program Support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDS within SAMHSA should be submitted through the Health Surveillance and Program Support account and must fall under one of the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mental Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Funding to support programs that promote the prevention or treatment of mental health disorders, including rehabilitation, outreach, and other support services. ○ Substance Abuse Treatment

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Funding to support programs that improve access, reduce barriers, and promote high quality, effective treatment and recovery services. ○ Substance Abuse Prevention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Funding to support programs to prevent the onset of illegal drug use, prescription drug misuse and abuse, alcohol misuse and abuse, and underage alcohol and tobacco use. • CDS within SAMSHA cannot be used for construction (other than a limited amount of renovation necessary to carry out a funded project). • Needle Exchange: A General Provision prohibits the award of funding for projects which distribute sterile needles or syringes for I.V. drug injection. • Use of Illegal Substances: A General Provision prohibits the award of funding for projects which promote the legalization of illegal drugs or substances
Department of Health and Human Services – Administration for Children and Families – Children and Families Services Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDS within ACF should be submitted through the Children and Families Services Programs account and must fall under one of the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Child Abuse Prevention <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CDS for projects to improve the prevention, assessment, identification, and treatment of child abuse and neglect through research, model service improvement, information dissemination, and technical assistance. Projects must serve or target abused and/or neglected children and their families. ○ Social Services Research and Demonstration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CDS for projects to promote the ability of families to thrive through financial self-sufficiency, and to promote the healthy development and greater well-being of children and families. Projects can serve a diverse population including: low-income individuals, children, youth, families, individuals with developmental disabilities, and Native Americans. • CDS cannot be used for construction or renovation of facilities
Department of Health and Human Services – Administration for Community Living – Aging and Disability Services Programs	CDS for projects to improve the ability of older adults and individuals of all ages with disabilities to live independently and participate fully in their communities. Generally, CDS should focus on improving access to, or the quality of, education, training, support services, and independent living services for older adults and individuals with disabilities. CDS cannot be used for construction or renovation of facilities
Department of Education – Innovation and Improvement – Fund for the improvement of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fund for the Improvement of Education (FIE) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Elementary and secondary education CDS can be designated under this heading for a wide variety of elementary and secondary education projects, including instructional services, afterschool centers, curricula development, teacher training, acquisition of books and computers, arts education, social and emotional learning activities, full-service community schools, and early childhood education. In general, the focus of elementary and secondary education CDS should be providing early childhood or K-12 educational services. Requests must specify the purpose of the CDS. ○ CDS to provide and improve special education services at the elementary and secondary levels are also eligible under this heading. These CDS may include early intervention services for infants and toddlers, transition services, and postsecondary education services. ○ Eligible grantees are state education agencies, school districts, colleges and universities, and other public and private nonprofit entities. Generally, CDS intended for individual schools is provided to the applicable school district and not directly to the individual school. ○ CDS cannot be used for construction or renovation of school buildings, except in the case of minor remodeling required as part of technology upgrades. Daycare and childcare projects that do not include educational services are also not eligible.
Department of Education – Rehabilitation Services – Demonstration and Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDS can be designated under this heading for a wide variety of projects that further the purposes of the Rehabilitation Act, including by providing individuals with disabilities with education, training, support services, and independent living services. Generally, CDS should focus on improving access to, or the quality of, such services for individuals with disabilities. Eligible grantees include State vocational rehabilitation agencies, community rehabilitation programs, Indian tribes or tribal organizations, or other public or nonprofit agencies and organizations. CDS cannot be used for construction or renovation of facilities.
Department of Education – Higher Education – Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generally, requests should focus on improving access to, or the quality of, postsecondary education. Examples of the types of projects that can be funded under FIPSE include projects to hire and train faculty, establish and improve degree programs, improve teacher preparation programs, develop and improve curricula, upgrade technology and telecommunications, acquire science laboratory equipment, provide student support, implement university partnerships with school districts, and establish research and training centers.

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All LHHS CDS requests must include:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Program and Account for which the program is being requested – Projects will only be funded from the accounts listed above. • Project Name – Name of the project (can be the same as project purpose below). • Project Purpose – This is a short description that will appear in CDS disclosure tables. It should not be the name of an existing program, project, or activity, but rather a description unique to your CDS request. • Justification – This description should provide a brief summary of the project including its purpose, goals, history and current status, as well as the justification for the project (i.e., why funding is in the interest of taxpayers). The description should explain how the money will be spent (i.e., \$X for salaries; \$X for programming; \$X for equipment; etc.) Please be specific when describing the activities and expenditures. The justification should also state what performance standards will be used to measure whether this project has achieved its objectives. This description must be complete without references to supporting materials. Senators may make a longer case for proposed CDS spending in the letters sent to the Subcommittee, which may include references to supporting materials. • Project City or County / Project State – An accurate name for the specific location of the proposed activity. This information will be included in CDS public disclosure tables. • Applicant Name (legal name of the organization) / Point of Contact Name, Phone Number, Email Address, and Mailing Address – This information will not appear on public disclosure tables, but will be given to the executing agency
Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, & Related Agencies	
Military Construction, Army	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eligible major military construction projects must be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Authorized in the Fiscal Year 2022 or prior year National Defense Authorization Act; ○ At 35% design or higher with a DD 1391*; ○ Prepared to award a construction contract in Fiscal Year 2022
Military Construction, Navy and Marine Corps	
Military Construction, Air Force	
Military Construction, Defense-Wide	
Military Construction, Army National Guard	
Military Construction, Air National Guard	
Military Construction, Army Reserve	
Military Construction, Navy Reserve	
Eligible List: Future Years Defense Program (FYDP)	Each military department, to include the guard and reserve, as well as defense-wide agencies, plans its major military construction program five years into the future. FYDPs identify these future planned projects, which are candidates for CDS requests. Some of the lists can be found on the website of the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller).
Eligible List: Unfunded Requirements/Priorities Lists (UFR/UPL)	In addition to the annual budget request and as required by law, each military department submits to the congressional defense committees a document identifying unfunded priorities that would be funded if additional appropriations were provided.
Eligible List: Cost-to-Complete (CTC)	Variables such as construction market conditions can affect cost estimating throughout the military construction programming process, and as such, DOD can experience cost increases that cannot be sufficiently covered by available appropriated funding. In these cases, the military departments submit a list of projects separate from the budget request that have received an authorization and appropriation, but require additional funding to be completed.
Transportation, Housing & Urban Development, & Related Agencies	
○ Requests for specific projects in the Federal Transit Administration's Capital Investment Grant (CIG) program that are also requested by the President, or that were funded in FY21, should not be requested as a CDS.	
"Transportation Planning, Research, and Development (TPR&D)" for	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request CDS within the TPR&D account for transportation research projects eligible under title 23 or title 49 of United States Code.

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transportation research projects eligible under title 23 or title 49, United States Code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants will be required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • Applicants are strongly encouraged to include relevant information in the Project Website and Total Cost fields.
"Grants-in-Aid for Airports (Airport Improvement Program or AIP)" for airport capital projects eligible under chapter 471 of title 49, United States Code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request CDS within the AIP account for airport capital projects eligible under chapter 471 of title 49, United States Code. • Applicants are required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • In the Justification field, Applicants are required to provide the status of the planning and environmental work so the Subcommittee can assess the readiness of the project. Applicants should also provide a description of all other sources of funding contributing to the total cost of the project. • In the Project Website field, Applicants are required to provide a link to the master plan that includes the requested project. • Under Additional Subcommittee Fields, Applicants are required to provide total cost of the project and select the airport name (see NPIAS for airport names).
"Highway Infrastructure Program (HIP)" for highway capital projects eligible under title 23, United States Code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request CDS within the HIP account for highway capital projects eligible under title 23, United States Code. • Applicants are required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • In the Justification field, Applicants are required to provide the status of the planning and environmental work so the Subcommittee can assess the readiness of the project. Applicants should also provide a description of all other sources of funding contributing to the total cost of the project. • In the Project Website field, Applicants should provide a link to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP) or Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) that includes the requested project. • Under Additional Subcommittee Fields, Applicants are required to provide total cost of the project, which should be consistent with the total cost of the project in the STIP or TIP.
"Transit Infrastructure Grants (TIG)" for transit capital projects eligible under chapter 53 of title 49, United States Code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request CDS within the TIG account for transit capital projects eligible under chapter 53 of title 49, United States Code. • Applicants are required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • In the Justification field, Applicants are required to provide the status of the planning and environmental work so the Subcommittee can assess the readiness of the project. Applicants should also provide a description of all other sources of funding contributing to the total cost of the project. • In the Project Website field, Applicants should provide a link to the Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan (STIP) or Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP) that includes the requested project. • Under Additional Subcommittee Fields, Applicants are required to provide total cost of the project, which should be consistent with the total cost of the project in the STIP or TIP. Applicants are also required to select the name of the recipient or subrecipient transit agency.
"Consolidated Rail Infrastructure and Safety Improvement (CRISI) Grants" for rail capital projects eligible under section 22907 of title 49, United States Code	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request CDS within the CRISI account for rail capital projects eligible under section 22907 of title 49, United States Code. • Applicants are required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • In the Justification field, Applicants are required to provide the status of the planning and environmental work so the Subcommittee can assess the readiness of the project. Applicants should also provide a description of all other sources of funding contributing to the total cost of the project. • In the Project Website field, Applicants are required to provide a link to the State Rail Plan that includes the requested project. • Under Additional Subcommittee Fields, Applicants are required to provide total cost of the project, which should be consistent with the total cost of the project in the State Rail Plan.
"Community Development Fund" within the line item "Economic Development Initiatives (EDI)" for economic development projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants can request funding for EDIs within the Community Development Fund account eligible under chapter 69 of title 42, United States Code. • Applicants are required to provide the Project Name, Project Purpose, Justification, Applicant's Request, Location of the Activity, and Project Recipient information. • In the Justification field, Applicants are required to provide the current status of the project, a description of all other sources of funding contributing to the total cost of the project, and

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<p>eligible under chapter 69 of title 42, United States Code</p>	<p>the status of the planning and environmental review work. In addition, include relevant data on how activities or projects benefit primarily low- and moderate-income persons or communities to meet program requirements.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the Project Website field, Applicants should provide a link to the project website if available or a link to the HUD five year Consolidated Plan or Annual Action Plan if the project is included or complements planned or current projects within these required plans. • Under Additional Subcommittee Fields, Applicants are required to provide the total cost of the project.